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SUBJ: CIVAIR--- AIRPORT SECURITY

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1. TWA REPRESENTATIVE HAS DISCUSSED X-RAY EQUIPMENT WITH CONGEN. IN RESPONSE TO SUBSEQUENT QUERY, HKG SOURCES HAS INFORMED CONGEN THAT THIS EQUIPMENT HAS BEEN PURCHASED FOR, AND LICENSED BY, THE GOVERNMENT. WE HAVE ALSO RECEIVED COPY OF LICENSE GRANTED TO SECURAIR TO OPERATE THIS EQUIPMENT. THE TENOR OF DISCUSSIONS WITH LOCAL OFFICIALS ON THIS SUBJECT SUGGESTS THAT THE LOCAL GOVERNMENT WILL CONTINUE TO USE IT, AND WOULD NOT WELCOME ANY ADDITIONAL ADVICE ON MATTER AT THIS TIME.

2. IF USE OF EQUIPMENT PROVES TO BE APROBLEM FOR U.S. AIRLINES VIS-A-VIS FILM INDUSTRY OR PASSENGERS, PERHAPS TIME -- AND A BARRAGE OF COMPLAINTS--- WILL INDUCE THE GOVERNMENT TO PURCHASE MORE SUITABLE (AND MORE EXPENSIVE) EQUIPMENT . MEANWHILE, AS FAA REPRESENTATIVES RECENTLY INDICATED (HK 5332), THIS X-RAY EQUIPMENT APPARENTLY IS BEING USED EFFECTIVELY TO IMPROVE SECURITY.
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